

In the Specification:

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The present invention provides a method of creating a geographic link from an electronic document to a physical document for locating, on the physical document, an item referenced in the electronic document, comprising the steps of:

defining the referenced item in the electronic document, said electronic document not being derived from the physical document;

determining geographic coordinates of the referenced item;

defining the geographic link to the physical document; and

encoding the geographic coordinates in the geographic link.

The present invention provides a method of locating items appearing on a physical document, comprising the steps of: calibrating an opto-touch foil that is aligned on the physical document, said calibrating comprising processing a calibration location comprised by a plurality of locations appearing in the physical document and being referred to in an electronic document, said electronic document not being derived from the physical document, each location of the plurality of locations having geographical coordinates, said processing generating a calibration relationship between the geographic coordinates of the calibration location and calibration foil coordinates of the opto-touch foil, said calibration foil coordinates corresponding to where the calibration location appears in the physical document; and

for each location of the plurality of locations, computing foil coordinates of the opto-

touch foil corresponding to where each location appears in the physical document, said computing utilizing the geographic coordinates of each location and the calibration relationship.

The present invention provides an apparatus for locating items appearing on a physical document, comprising:

means for calibrating an opto-touch foil that is aligned on the physical document, said means for calibrating comprising means for processing a calibration location comprised by a plurality of locations appearing in the physical document and being referred to in an electronic document, said electronic document not being derived from the physical document, each location of the plurality of locations having geographical coordinates, said means for processing adapted to generate a calibration relationship between the geographic coordinates of the calibration location and calibration foil coordinates of the opto-touch foil, said calibration foil coordinates corresponding to where the calibration location appears in the physical document; and

means for computing foil coordinates of the opto-touch foil, for each location of the plurality of locations, corresponding to where each location appears in the physical document, said means for computing utilizing the geographic coordinates of each location and the calibration relationship.